

**National Institute of Nursing Research  
Scientific Symposium**

***Bringing Science to Life***

**Ruth L. Kirschstein Auditorium, National Institutes of Health  
Thursday, September 30, 2010**

**Agenda**

8:00 a.m.–8:30 a.m.	<b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b>	
8:30 a.m.–8:50 a.m.	<b>Introduction</b>	<b>Mary Woolley, Mistress of Ceremonies</b> President, <i>Research!America</i>
8:50 a.m.–9:15 a.m.	<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Dr. Patricia A. Grady</b> Director, <i>National Institute for Nursing Research</i>
9:15 a.m.–10:00 a.m.	<b>Keynote Session</b>	<b>Dr. Gillian Gill</b> <i>Author, Nightingales: The Extraordinary Upbringing and Curious Life of Miss Florence Nightingale</i>  <b>William D. Novelli</b> <i>Professor, Georgetown University McDonough School of Business</i>  <b>Kathleen Sebelius</b> <i>Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services</i>
10:00 a.m.–10:15 a.m.	<b>Break</b>	
10:15 a.m.–11:15 a.m.	<b>Keynote Session (continued)</b>	<b>Dr. Lawrence A. Tabak</b> <i>Principal Deputy Director, National Institutes of Health</i>  <b>Dr. Alan I. Leshner</b> <i>Chief Executive Officer, American Association for the Advancement of Science</i>
11:15 a.m.–1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:00 p.m.–2:00 p.m.	<b>Scientific Session</b>	
	"The Critical Role Sleep Need Has in Health and Safety"	<b>Dr. David Dinges</b> <i>University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine</i>
	"Management of Chronic Illnesses In a Diverse Population"	<b>Dr. Jillian Inouye</b> <i>University of Hawaii at Manoa School of Nursing and Dental Hygiene</i>
	"Molecular, Cellular and Genetic Correlates of Neuromuscular Dysfunction in Muscular Dystrophy"	<b>Dr. Susan Dorsey</b> <i>University of Maryland School of Nursing</i>
	"Reducing Length of NICU Stay	<b>Dr. Bernadette Melnyk</b>

And Improving Outcomes in  
Premature Infants and Parents with  
COPE”

*Arizona State University  
College of Nursing and Health Innovation*

2:00 p.m.–3:00 p.m.

**Panel Discussion**

**Dr. Ann Cashion, Moderator**

*University of Tennessee Science Center*

**Drs. Dinges, Dorsey, Inouye, and Melnyk, Panelists**

3:00 p.m.–3:15 p.m.

**Dr. Ada Sue Hinshaw  
Portrait Unveiling**

**Dr. Patricia Grady**

3:15 p.m.–4:30 p.m.

**Poster Session and Reception**